No. J. 1618—*Pr.* 41-06-6, *dated* 13*th December* 1906.

Mr. P. S. Achyuta Rao handed over and Major H. E. Drake Brockman, I. M. S., assumed charge of the office of the Inspector-General of Prisons in Mysore in the afternoon of the 24th November 1906.

No. 5274—*Med.* 154-06-2, *dated* 18*th December* 1906

Mr. V. Abboy Naidu, Assistant Surgeon, is promoted from the 2nd to the 1st class of Assistant Surgeons with effect from the 1st October 1906.

The Petition Box kept at the General and Revenue Secretariat, Bangalore, will be cleared at 12 noon every day by the Secretary to Government, and in his absence from Bangalore by one of the Under-Secretaries.

By Order,
K. S. CHANDRASEKHARA AIYAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

MILITARY.

No. 2353-5, *dated* 13*th December* 1906.

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore is pleased to sanction the following transfer on promotion in the Mysore State Cavalry with effect from the 8th December 1906 :—

Name.	*From rank.*	*To rank.*
Deva Rao Sindhe.	Dafadar, Imperial Service Regiment.	Jamadar, 4th grade, Local, Service Regiment.

No. 2378-9, *dated* 14*1—5th December* 1906.

Under Article 177 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. H. Donne, Assistant Secretary to the Government in the Military Department, is granted privilege leave for twenty-nine days from the 3rd January 1907, with permission to avail himself of the same in continuation of the Christmas Holidays.

By Order,
R. G. JONES, LIEUT.-COL.,
Military Assistant.

PUBLIC WORKS.

No. 1251—8379, *dated* 15*th December* 1906.

The privilege leave of absence for two and a half months granted to Mr. C. Madhava Rao, Executive Engineer, with effect from the 6th October last, in this office Notification No. 937—6497, dated the 20th September 1906, is hereby extended to the 22nd instant (inclusive).

No. 1265—8410, *dated* 17*th December* 1906.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to direct the introduction of the following rules for the regulation of house-connections from the Vanivilas Water Works, within the limits of the City of Mysore :—

Rules for the Regulation of House-connections from the Vanivilas Water Works.

1. The supply of water from the Vanivilas Water-works being intended exclusively for *bonâ fide* domestic purposes, the water drawn therefrom, whether from public fountains and taps or from private house-connections, shall not be used for any other purpose whatsoever. A supply of water for domestic purposes shall not include a supply of water for horses or for washing carriages, where such horses or carriages are kept for sale or hire, or a supply for any trade, manufacture or business, or for fountains, or for any ornamental or mechanical purpose, or for watering gardens or roads. Water which has been used for washing, bathing or other domestic purposes, may be collected and used for gardening or other non-domestic purposes, but on no account should pure water be drawn from the taps for these purposes; provided that, with the special permission of the Water-supply Department, water may be taken from the fountains and hydrants for watering public roads on special occasions.

2. Until further orders, private connections to houses from the Vanivilas Water Works will be limited to houses whose annual rental value is *not less than Rs.* 120 (one hundred and twenty), and to localities where the capacity and pressure of the public water mains permit of such connections being made without detriment to the street service.